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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL**

Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 of the above-identified application.

1.  Consider the unentered amendment/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_.
2.  Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on \_\_\_\_\_.
3.  Enclosed is/are
  - Amendment (including transmittal)/Reply.
  - Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s).
  - Information Disclosure Statement (IDS).  
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  - Other (identify):  
petition for three-month extension of time; a check in the amount of \$950.00 for the three-month extension.
4.  Small entity status under 37 C.F.R. §1.27 is claimed.
  - A verified statement to establish small entity status is enclosed.
  - A verified statement to establish small entity status was previously filed and such status is still proper and desired.
5.  A check in the amount of \$770.00 is enclosed.

6.  The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the following fees, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 03-3125.

RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e).  
 Extension of time fee (37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.17).  
 Other fees (identify): any other required fees.

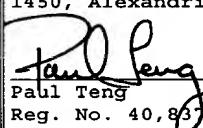
7.  Three copies of this transmittal are enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,



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**AMENDMENT TO THE ACCOMPANYING REQUEST FOR  
CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114 AND  
PETITION FOR A THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME**

This Amendment is submitted concurrently with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE), in response to the January 2, 2004 final Office Action issued by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, in connection with the above-identified patent application. A response to the January 2, 2004 Office Action was originally due April 2, 2004. Applicants hereby petition for a three-month extension of time from April 2, 2004 to July 2, 2004. The required fee for a three-month extension of time is \$950.00 for a large entity and a check in that amount is enclosed. Accordingly, this response is being timely filed.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the **Listing of Claims** section which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.